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I believe that it is in the best interest of the consumer to settle the Microsoft issue. Microsoft has done nothing that is against the interests of the public. Wasting more of my tax money on pursuing Microsoft to benefit companies like Sun Microsystems and others who have difficulty competing because they have inferior products. The market will take care of Microsoft. When they fail to produce a product that the public wants to buy they will no be able to sell it. Going back to the days of multiple operating systems is not in the best interest of the consumer and makes programming from a professional point of view more of a headache. Settle the issue and quit wasting my tax dollars that could be better spent elsewhere.